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The reply filed on October 12, 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the reply did not address paragraph #3 of the Non-Final Office Action mailed 5/12/2004. Specifically, Applicant did not respond to the objection to the specification as required by 37 CFR 1.111 with regards to disclosure consistency (see 37 CFR 1.121(e)). Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

.Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Kevin R Kruer whose telephone number is 571-272-1510. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday from 8:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Deborah Jones, can be reached on (571) 272-1535.

The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-305-5408. Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0661.

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